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Mail Stop Amendment

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Response under 37 C.F.R. 1.111 in the above-captioned application.

Small Entity Status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a previously

filed statement.

A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

An Information Disclosure Statement, PTO Form 1449, and references cited.

One Replacement sheet of drawing.

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Sir:

In response to the Official Action of March 20, 2006, in which a three-month shortened statutory period for response was set to expire on June 20, 2006, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration and withdrawal of the outstanding objections and rejection, as well as an indication of the allowability of the claims now pending.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper. Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper. A Replacement Figure is attached hereto.